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MEMORANDUM

To:

Barry Gold

Chief, Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center

From:

Randall Peterson

Manager, Adaptive Management and Environmental Resources Division

Subject:

Request for Carry-Over of Power Revenue Funds from FY 2001 to FY 2002

We have reviewed your carry-over request memo and subsequent clarifying modifications, and have discussed the memo with the Technical Work Group budget ad hoc group. The request is for a total of \$1,116,000, of which \$695,000 is proposed to be spent on FY 2002 science activities that were not expected to be funded in FY 2002 due to a lack of appropriations through the USGS. The remainder of the requested carryover would fund those projects identified as FY 2001 work, but awarded in FY 2002 for various reasons identified in your memo.

Carry-over in the amount of \$886,000 is approved at this time. The remaining \$230,000 is associated with the IWQP proposed water quality modeling work (\$30,000) and the Reach Averaged and 1-Dimensional modeling work (\$200,000). The IWQP work will be approved following an agreement between GCMRC and Reclamation's Upper Colorado Regional Office Water Quality Group on cooperative water quality modeling work, expected within the next month. The requested Reach Averaged and 1-Dimensional modeling carry-over will be reevaluated following award and funding evaluation by GCMRC of this contract, expected by January 2002.

Since the Adaptive Management Program has not yet received additional appropriations which could offset power revenue funding of science activities and provide for funds to monitor and research various experiments, we will continue to evaluate all program expenditures for use in evaluating experimental flows and other management actions.

Thanks for the scientific efforts of you and your staff.